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Mr. Ronald W. Daniels
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State Department of Natural Resources
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
1588 West North Temple
Salt Lake City, Utah 84116

Re: Annie Laurie Mining Ventures Limited
Kimberly Gold Mine
Piute County, Utah

Dear Mr. Daniels:

In response to your letter of August 2, 1976, let me advise you that we ceased operations of the mill and mining project until we have had an opportunity to meet with you. This, of course, required terminating approximately twenty-five employees which will have an economic impact on Piute and Sevier Counties in the State of Utah.

Therefore, may I respectfully request that you outline all of the information that you desire together with the requirements you deem necessary. As soon as I have received these items, I will carefully review them with out people and arrange to meet you at the place and time you designate.

Respectfully submitted,

J. Harlan Burns
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cc: Russell L. Reiserer

P.S. The current price of gold also had some bearing on our closing the operation at this time.